H. R. 649.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

JANUARY 12, 1863.

Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

AN ACT

Making appropriations for the consular and diplomatic expenses of the government for the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four.

- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appro-
- 4 priated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise ap-
- 5 propriated, for the objects hereinafter expressed, for the fiscal
- 6 year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-
- 7 four, namely:
- 8 For salaries of envoys extraordinary, ministers, and com-
- 9 missioners of the United States at Great Britain, France,
- 10 Russia, Prussia, Spain, Austria, Brazil, Mexico, China, Italy,
- 11 Chili, Peru, Portugal, Switzerland, Rome, Belgium, Holland,
- 12 Denmark, Sweden, Turkey, New Granada, Bolivia, Ecuador,

Venezuela, Guatemala, Nicaragua, Sandwich Islands, Costa 13 Rica, Honduras, Argentine Confederation, Paraguay, and 14 Japan, three hundred and one thousand dollars. 15 For salaries of secretaries of legation, thirty thousand 16 dollars. 17 For salaries of assistant secretaries of legation at London 18 and Paris, three thousand dollars. 19 For salary of the interpreter to the legation to China, 20 five thousand dollars. 21 For salary of the secretary of legation to Turkey, acting 22 as interpreter, three thousand dollars. 23For salary of the interpreter to the legation to Japan, 24 two thousand five hundred dollars. 25 For contingent expenses of all the missions abroad, sixty 26 thousand dollars. 27 For contingent expenses of foreign intercourse, eighty 28 thousand dollars. 29 For expenses of intercourse with the Barbary powers, 30 three thousand dollars. 31 For expenses of the consulates in the Turkish dominions, 32 namely: interpreters, guards, and other expenses of the con-33 sulates at Constantinople, Smyrna, Candia, Alexandria, and 34 Beirut, two thousand five hundred dollars. 35 For the relief and protection of American seamen in 36

foreign countries, two hundred thousand dollars.

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- For expenses which may be incurred in acknowledging 38 39 the services of the masters and crews of foreign vessels in rescuing citizens of the United States from shipwreck, five 40 41 thousand dollars.
- 42 For the purchase of blank books, stationery, arms of the United States, seals, presses, and flags, and for the payment **.43** of postages, and miscellaneous expenses of the consuls of the 44 United States, forty-five thousand dollars. 45
 - For office rent for those consuls general, consuls, and 46 commercial agents who are not allowed to trade, including 47 loss by exchange thereon, forty-one thousand eight hundred and ninety dollars.
 - 48 49 For salaries of consuls general at Quebec, Calcutta, 50 Alexandria, Havana, Constantinople, Frankfort-on-the-Main; 51 Kanagawa and Nagasaki, in Japan, Liver-52 at pool, London, Melbourne, Hong Kong, Glasgow, Mauritius, 53 Singapore, Belfast, Cork, Dundee, Demarara, Halifax, Kings-54 ton, (Jamaica,) Leeds, Manchester, Nassau, (New Providence,) 55 Southampton, Turk's Island, Prince Edward's Island, Havre, 56 Paris, Marseilles, Bordeaux, La Rochelle, Lyons, Moscow, 57 Odessa, Revel, Saint Petersburg, Matanzas, Trinidad de Cuba, 58 Santiago de Cuba, San Juan, (Porto Rico,) Cadiz, Malaga, Ponce, 59 60
 - (Porto Rico,) Trieste, Vienna, Aix-la-Chapelle, Canton, Shang-
 - hai, Fouchou, Amoy, Ningpo, Beirut, Smyrna, Jerusalem, Rot-61
 - terdam, Amsterdam, Antwerp, Funchal, Oporto, Saint Thomas, 62

Elsineur, Genoa, Basle, Geneva, Messina, Naples, Palermo, 63 Leipsic, Munich, Leghorn, Stuttgardt, Bremen, Hamburg, Tan-64 giers, Tripoli, Tunis, Rio de Janeiro, Pernambuco, Vera Cruz, 65 Acapulco, Callao, Valparaiso, Buenos Ayres, San Juan del 66 Sur, Aspinwall, Panama, Laguayra, Honolulu, Lahaina, 67 Capetown, Falkland Islands, Venice, Stettin, Candia, Cyprus, 68 Batavia, Fayal, Santiago, (Cape de Verdes,) Saint Croix, 69 Spezzia, Athens, Zanzibar, Bahia, Maranham Island, Para, 70 Rio Grande, Matamoras, Mexico, (city,) Tampico, Paso del 71Norte, Tabasco, Paita, Tumbez, Talcahuano, Carthagena, 72 Sabanillo, Omoa, Guayaquil, Cobija, Montevideo, Tahiti, 73 Bay of Islands, Apia, Lanthala, Bristol, Cardiff, Malta, Saint 74John, (Newfoundland,) Saint John, (New Brunswick,) Pictou, 75 (Nova Scotia,) La Union, Barbadoes, Bermuda, Antigua, 76 Nantes, Napoleon, Vendee, Nice, Lisbon, Gottenburg, Te-77huantepec, Santos, Saint Catherine, Balize, Gaspe Basin, 78Valencia, Port Mahon, Martinique, Taranto, Santander, 79 Galatz, Bilbao, Scio, Paramaribo, Macao, Stockholm, Ancona, 80 Otranto, Swatow, La Paz, Bergen, Trinidad, Barcelona, 81 Quebec, Maricaibo, Algiers, Port au Prince, San Domingo, 82 (city,) Monrovia, Cape Haytien, Aux Cayes, and New Castle-83 upon-Tyne; commercial agents at San Juan del Norte, Saint 84 Paul de Loanda, (Angola,) Gaboon, Saint Marc, Curacoa, 85 and Amoor river, including the loss by exchange thereon, 86 four hundred and fourteen thousand dollars. 87

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For interpreters to the consulates in China, including

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89	loss by exchange thereon, five thousand eight hundred dol-
90	lars.
91	For expenses incurred, under instructions from the Sec-
92	retary of State, in bringing home from foreign countries per-
93	sons charged with crime, and expenses incident thereto, ten
94	thousand dollars.
95	For salaries of the marshals for the consular courts in
96	Japan, China, Siam, and Turkey, including loss by exchange
97	thereon, nine thousand dollars.
98	For rent of prisons for American convicts in Japan,
99	China, Siam, and Turkey, and for wages of the keepers of
100	the same, nine thousand dollars.
101	For salaries of commissioners and consuls general to
102	Hayti and Liberia, eleven thousand five hundred dollars.
•	Passed the House of Representatives January 9, 1863.

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